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Loudon, October 28.

HAving in the Courant of the 21ſt Inſtant given the Votes of the Houſe of Commons of Ireland concerning Putland and Nuttal, Officers of the Treaſury of Ireland; We ſhall for the better Information of the Publick, give in ſeveral Courants (while the Wind continues contrary to the Pacquet Boats from Holland) the Report at large (which we receiv'd by the Mail Yeſterday from Dublin,) of the ſelect Committee appointed to take into Conſideration the Caſe in which the ſaid Officers of the Treaſury were concern'd. 'Tis as follows.

Mr. Connelly in the Chair.

Mr. Speaker.

IN *Obedience to the Order of this Honourable Houſe, Your Committee to whom the Petition of* Tho. Gore, *and* Simon Sherlock, *in behalf of themſelves and about Sixty Perſons more, was Committed, have Met and Taken the ſame into Conſideration, and upon Hearing Council, and Examining Witneſſes as well on behalf of the Petitioners as of Mr.* Thomas Putland, *and Mr.* Joſeph Nuttal; *The Caſe appear'd to Your Committee as followeth.*

MR. Benjamin Taylor one of the Clothiers and Partners mention'd in the Petition, being produc'd as a Witneſs for the Petitioners, affirm'd, That when he and Partners had Clothing-Warrants on the Treaſury out of the Off-Reckonings, they have paid Six pence, Ninepence, Twelve pence, Eighteen pence, Twenty two pence, and Two Shillings per Pound to the Treaſury, for Advance of the Money payable by thoſe Warrants; which has much Diſabled the ſaid Partners: That they were uſually paid the Seventh Month after the Date of the Warrants; But their Occaſions requiring Money ſooner, they have given four ſhillings in the Pound Advance-Money; Believ'd that they had paid about Seven thouſand pound Advance-Money with the Six pence per Pound Exchange; and that one with another, it came to about Eighteen pence per Pound; Have paid Four ſhillings in the Pound on the Duke of Ormond's Warrant, and have receiv'd in the whole about a Hundred thouſand pounds; That Examinant and his Partners were Employ'd to Cloath many Regiments, (which he Enumerated) and took up Materials for Clothing them from the Petitioners, and that Fourteen thouſand Pound is ſtill due to the Petitioners.

That the Partners have receiv'd Ninety thouſand Pound out of the Treaſury on the Clothing Account, That they aſſign'd Collonel Piers's Clothing Warrant to Captain Prat, and paid him Six hundred pound for Advance of the Money. That ſixteen or ſeventeen Months were due to them on Lord Winſor's Warrant; yet they paid ſixteen pence per Pound for advance of that Money, and paid Three ſhillings and Four pence or Four ſhillings per Pound to Mr. Putland for Advance of the Money on the Duke of Ormond's Warrant. That they aſſign'd Brigadier Gorge's Clothing Warrant of Three thouſand and odd Pounds to Mr. Nuttall, and allow'd him Five hundred and ſixty Pounds for Advance thereof. Believ'd Mr. Putland had the advantage of the Advance-Money. That the Partners demanded their Money due on Lord Charlemont's Clothing-Warrant after the Regiment was gone off, and they paid Mr. Putland Fifty ſix pound thirteen ſhillings and ſeven pence for Advance of Four hundred fifty three Pound nine ſhillings and ſix pence. That the Regiment was clear'd of every Farthing before it went, yet the Clothiers were not paid. That twelve Months Off-Reckonings on General Langſton's Cloathing-Warrant, and Eleven Months on Lord Orkney's were due, and yet paid Two ſhillings and ſix pence per pound for Advance. That they paid Thirty five Pound for advance of Two hundred Pound, Fifty two pound for advance of Three hundred pound, and One hundred forty four pound ſeventeen ſhillings and five pence for Advance of Seven hundred twenty four pound ſeven ſhillings and one penny. That they gave one Palin a Cutler an Aſſignment on a Clothing Warrant for Two hundred ſeventy two pound fourteen ſhillings, and he apply'd to Mr. Putland, who paid him Two hundred ſeven pound fourteen ſhillings, and ſtopp'd the remainder, being Sixty five Pound, for Advance thereof: That the Advance-Money the Partners have given for Ninety thouſand Pound, amounts to Eight thouſand Pound. That Mr. Putland ſent Mr. Nuttall to the Partners after their Abſconding, to offer them a Hundred pound apiece. That the Regiments ſent abroad are paid off at their going away, and the Clothing-Money is then actually due.

Mr. Taylor being croſs-Examin'd, own'd that the Six pence per pound Exchange, was his agreement, and that the Neceſſities of the Partners were grea: That the firſt Exchequer Acquittance they ever had was to Foxford, and that they never had any other Exchequer Acquittance, and that the Six hundred pound they gave Mr. Prat, was before Mr. Pratt was concern'd in the Treaſury.

Mr. James Dungan, one of the Clothiers, and Partners mention'd in the Petition, being produc'd as a Witneſs for the Petitioners, ſaid. That the ſecond of *December* 1698. the Partners paid Six pence per Pound for One hundred fifty four pound, but believes they were tendred an Exchequer Acquittance by Foxford. That they paid Seventy five pound for Advance of One thouſand Pound on a Three Months Warrant, (Two Months of which (beyond the ſix Months poſtpon'd) were then due, the third Month not due; that they made not any uſe of other People, becauſe by dealing with the Treaſury, they had the Countenance of the Office. That they paid half a Crown a Pound on the Duke of Ormond's Clothing-Warrant.

We ſhall continue this Report in our next.

Crookhaven in Ireland, Oct. 12. This Day Commadore Smith had a Conference with the Captains of the Men of War and Eaſt India Merchant Ships; and the Reſult was to ſtay here till they receive Orders from the Admiralty of Great Britain: In the mean while they have made Batteries on each ſide the Harbour for their Security.

Kingſtown in Jamaica, Aug. 20. 'The Neptune, 'Capt. Gandy Commander coming over hither from 'the Spaniſh Coaſt, very richly laden with Silver 'and Gold, was chac'd by 2 French Privateers, and 'carrying too much Sail was overſet and loſt. 3 'other trading Sloops to the Spaniſh Coaſt, all rich-'ly laden, have been taken by the Enemy.

Portſmouth, Oct. 25. To Day came in Her Majeſty's Ships the Royal Anne Sir George Bing Commander, the Torbay Sir John Norris, the St. George Lord Durſely, the Somerſet, Orford, Swiftſure, Monmouth, Panther, Rye, Cruiſer, Vulcan Fireſhip, Weaſel, and Iſabella Yacht. They bring the bad News of Sir Cloudſly Shovel's being loſt in the Aſſociation on the Rocks of Scilly the 22d Inſtant about 8 at Night. 'Tis believ'd the Lenox and Phenix Fireſhip are both gone up the Briſtol Channel. To Day came in Her Majeſty's Ship the Ipſwich which brought an Ambaſſador from Lisbon, whom ſhe landed here laſt Night. Sail'd for the Downes Her Majeſtys Ships the Somerſet, Monmouth, Briſtol, Iſabella Yacht, Weaſel and Vulcan Fireſhip.

Plymouth, Oct. 24. The 22d arriv'd the Frankland Pacquet Boat, Captain William Grumbley Commander, in 7 Weeks and 3 Days from Jamaica. The Captain reports, that the Iſlands are very healthy, and that Commadore Kerr, with 3 Men of War, a Fireſhip and about 40 Merchant Ships, ſail'd from Jamaica 3 Days before him. To Day came

came in the Tartar Pink from the Westward, who this Day spoke with the Lenox Sir William Jumper Commander, and the Valeur, who acquainted her, that Sir Cloudsly Shovel pass'd by this Harbour last Night to the Eastward, with about 20 Men of War. At the same time came in the Judith and Anne of Ramsgate, laden with Corn for Lisbon, retaken and sent in by the Rye: She was under Convoy of the Cumberland &c, and saw the Chester and Rubey strike after they had lost their Masts, and a third Rate burnt, and many of the Merchant Ships taken.

Bristol, Oct. 25. Yesterday arriv'd here the Whetstone Galley from Newfoundland, which with other Letter of Marishps has taken several Ships; and after leaving the Colony cruis'd on the Banks some Days, and took 8 Prizes, one laden with Sugar retaken belonging to Leverpool: She has brought Home Hostages from several Ships; and 1 Ship of 12 Guns she took and sent away from the Banks 2 or 3 Days before she left them, which is 23 Days ago. The English Men of War and others had done great Damage to the French; but the particulars we cannot give rightly.

Shields, Oct. 24. Two Days ago sail'd out of this Port about 100 Sail of laden Colliers; but the Wind having since been Southerly about 30 of the smallest are come back: The rest keep the Sea, under Convoy of the Lark Man of War.

London, October 28.

Ships missing (besides the Association) that came from the Streights, are the Eagle and Rumney, and the Phœnix and Griffin Fireships.

London, October 28.

☞ Several Hundreds of Citizens having lately met to consider how they may be best represented in Parliament, in the Room of Sir Robert Clayton deceas'd, by a Person well affected to Her Majesty's Person and Government, and known to the Laws and Customs of the City; did unanimously agree upon the Right Honourable Sir William Withers Knight Lord Mayor Elect, (who formerly serv'd this City in the said Station) they being well assur'd that he can attend the said Service, (notwithstanding his publick Station) without any prejudice or delay of Justice, there being 22 Aldermen and Mr. Recorder, Justices of the Peace for this City besides his Lordship. N. B. Whereas it has been Advertis'd that half the Aldermen that are Justices of the Peace live generally out of Town, This is to satisfy all Citizens that there are but Four Aldermen whose Habitations are without the limits of the City.

☞ Whereas all the Aldermen of London (that are Justices of the Peace) are by the Government thought necessary to do the Justice of the City, and 'tis well known that at least half of them are generally out of Town. And the Lord Mayor by his Duty being bound to reside in London, and not to lye out of it without special Leave from the Government, he ought to supply by his constant Attendance the Defects of his Brethren, and he being the chief Magistrate, most Business is brought before him; there being one of the Four Attorneys appointed to attend the Lord Mayor Weekly for that purpose; therefore it is thought by many hundred considerable Citizens that Sir John Buckworth Baronet, Citizen and Fishmonger of London, a Gentleman of unquestionable Loyalty and Ability, is the most proper Person to be Elected to serve this City in Parliament in the Room of Sir Robert Clayton deceas'd.

N. B. That the Advertisements publish'd by the Friends of Sir John Buckworth in favour of his Election, are all undoubtedly true notwithstanding any publick or private insinuations to the contrary.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Tuesday, being the 28th of October, will be presented a Comedy, call'd, Sir Solomon Single, or, The Cautious Coxcomb. The part of Sir Solomon to be perform'd by Mr. Estcourt, the part of Ralph by Mr. Pinkethman, the part of Betty by Mrs. Mountfort, and the rest of the Parts to the best Advantage. With Singing by Mr. Leveridge and others. And also Entertainments of Dancing.

By her Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Market, this present Tuesday, being the 28th of October, will be presented a Comedy, call'd, The Silent Woman. Written by the famous Ben. Johnson. The Part of Morose to be perform'd by Mr Johnson. And the Parts of Dauphine Engene by Mr. Booth, Clerimont by Mr. Mills, Truewit by Mr. Wilks, Sir John Daw by Mr Cibber, Sir Amorous La-fool by Mr. Bullock, Capt Otter by Mr. Fairbank, Cutberd by Mr. Norris, The Silent Woman by Mrs Oldfield. And to Morrow, being Wednesday the 29th, will be presented a Comedy, call'd, The Lancashire Witches, and Teague O Divelly the Irish Priest.

These Plays are Sold by J. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, and B. Lintott next Nando's Coffee-House, Temple-Bar.

AN Entertainment by Mr. CLINCH of BARNET, who imitates the Flute, Double Curtell, the Organ with 3 Voices, the Horn, Huntsman and Pack of Hounds, the Sham Doctor, the Old Woman, the Drunken Man, the Bells: All Instruments are perform'd by his natural Voice. To be seen this present Evening at 7 a Clock at, the Dolphin in St. Anne's-Lane within Aldersgate. Price 1 s.

THese are to give Notice, That the Militia Troop, commonly call'd the Westminster Troop, is to be drawn out and Muster'd by Order of his Grace the Duke of Bedford, on Thursday and Friday next the 30th and 31st of this Instant October: Therefore all Persons that are any ways Chargeable to the same are order'd to make themselves ready, and to Parade in St. James's Square by 9 in the Morning the 30th and 31st aforesaid, otherways they will be Return'd as Defaulters. J. Temple, Clark, in Maiden-Lane, Covent-Garden.

Lost or Mislaid a Lady's Picture drawn in Water-Colours, in a Blue Gown and a Black Hood hanging loose; the Picture about 4 Inches long, set in a Princes Metal Case gilt, and a Cypher of P. L. C. upon the Ground of the Picture. Whoever will bring the said Picture to Mr. J. Beachcroft, Goldsmith, at the 3 Kings in Cheapside, or to Mr. Cross at the Naked Boy in Henerietta-street, Covent-Garden, shall receive 2 Guineas reward; or if any one can discover who has found the said Picture, so that it may be had again, shall receive the aforesaid reward.

Lost on Wednesday in the Evening, being the 22d of this Instant October, between the Pope's-head-Tavern and Waghorne's Coffee house in Pope's-head-Alley in Cornhill, an old Silver Minute Pendulum Watch, with a Glass before and behind it, in a Shaggreen Case studded with Silver, made by Mark Wick, and a Silver Seal Engraved R. D. C. It is desired that the Person who hath them would bring them to Mr. Tho. Tring Watch maker in Pissing-Alley in Bread-street, London, and they shall receive as a Reward 20 s. and no Enquiry shall be made.

Lost on Monday the 27th Instant, near the Royal Exchange in Cornhill, a Paper Book stitch'd with a Marble Paper Cover, and full of Memorandums and Accounts of Petty Debts, with some old Accounts of Cash, and an Account of Rent due at Taudridge at Michaelmas 1707, with the Names of several Persons. Whoever will bring it to Will's Coffee-house in Cornhill, shall have 5 s. Reward, it being of no use but to the Owner.

If any Gentlemen (of a Sober Conversation) that are MUSICAL PERFORMERS, are dispos'd to make up a Private Consort (Weekly) during the Winter Season; they may be inform'd of other Particulars if they please to make Enquiry at Grew's Coffee-House in Newgate-street.

The Mannor of Hambledon near Godalming in Surrey, with the Capital Messuage of Busbridge, and the Coach-houses, Stables and Fish-Ponds thereunto belonging, and the Demesne Lands, and other Lands and Farms of 900 l. per Annum and upwards, and the Timber and Underwoods, and the Advowson of the Church of Hambledon, are to be Sold. Inquire of Mr. Close at his Chambers in Furnivals-Inn.

A House well situated, 25 Miles from London and 7 Miles from Windsor, and lies near the River Thames, with Coach-house and Stables, Gardens and Orchard well planted with good Fruit, and 2 Closes belonging to it, to be Let, either for Term of Years or otherwise, at a reasonable Rate. Inquire at Mr. Marke's a Glover at the corner of Foster-Lane near the Conduit in Cheapside.

On Thursday the 30th of October 1707, will be Expos'd to Sale at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombard-street, 47 Pipes and 8 Hogsheads of Galicia Wines. To be seen in a Vault in Cross-Lane between St. Dunstan's-Hill and Harp-Lane, till the time of Sale, from 8 to 12, and from 2 till 6. Sold by JOHN STYLES, Sworn Broker.

On Friday the 31st of October 1707, will be Expos'd to Sale at Lloyd's Coffee-House in Lombard-street, 86 Butts of Extraordinary new Sherrys, lately Landed, being an Entire Parcel none Sold out. To be seen in a Cellar at Brewers-Key facing the Water, till the Hour of Sale, from 8 to 12, and from 2 till 6. Sold by JOHN STYLES, Sworn Broker.

This Day continues the Auction of Dr. Plucknett's and Sir Hugh Everard's Library.

At the Black-Boy Coffee-House in Avy-Mary-Lane near Ludgate-street, on Thursday the 30th of this Instant October, at 4 in the Evening, will begin the Sale of a very valuable Collection of Books Ancient and Modern, in all Languages and Faculties; the Stock of Mr. Walter Kettilby late of St. Paul's Church-yard, now living in the Country: To which is added the Library of a Learned Divine, and that of an Eminent Physician deceas'd. The Catalogues of the Greek, Latin, French, Italian and Spanish, will be distributed this day, the 28th, at Mr Barker's in Westminster-Hall, Mr. Harding's in St. Martin's-Lane, Mr. Paul Valliant's against Bedford-House in the Strand, Mr. Tooke at the Temple-Gate, Mr. Newton in Little-Britain, Mr. Richard Parker under the Royal Exchange, and at the Place of Sale; where the Books may be view'd 4 Days before it begins.

The following Books printed for Mr. Bennet lately deceas'd, will be Sold at these Prices in Quires till the 20th of December next, viz. Dionisius Hallicarnaseus, Gr. & Lat. Opr. Ed. Oxon, in 2 Vol. Folio. Carta Magna, 2 l. 3 s. Idem small Paper, 2 Vol. 1 l. 10 s. Dr. Beaumont's Psyche, or Poem on the Soul. The 2d Edition, with large Additions, Folio, 3 s. 6 d. Simon's Critical History on all the New Testament, 4to. 3 s. by J. Nicholson and W. Newton in Little-Britain, R. Knaplock at the Bishop's Head in St Paul's Church-yard, and Benj. Tooke at the Temple-Gate, where may be had what else Mr. Bennet Printed. Note, There is very few of Father Simon's Critical History left.

LONDON: Printed, and Sold by *Sam. Buckley* at the *Dolphin* in *Little-Britain*.